



WARWICK  
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## WARWICK THE CAPE LADIES 2021



**VARIETAL:**

61% Pinotage, 22% Merlot, 17% Cabernet Sauvignon

**WINE OF ORIGIN:**

Stellenbosch

**TASTING NOTE:**

Alluring nose with hints of rose, sweet strawberries, ripe cherry, and cedarwood. The palate is medium bodied with lots of fruit, ripe strawberry, red cherry, and violets, supported by well-integrated oak. Ready to enjoy now but will reward careful cellaring over the next three to five years.

**WINEMAKING:**

Each component was harvested separately, de-stemmed, and sorted into a tank. The wines spent between 6 and 21 days on the skins, depending on the tannin structure. Three or four pump-overs per day and then pressed to undergo malolactic fermentation in the tank. After completion the wine was racked in French oak barrels; 18% new, 25% second fill, 17% third fill, and 40% older oak was used for a period of 12 months before blending and a light filtration before bottling in August 2022.

**PAIRING:**

Roast lamb or venison

**ANALYSIS:**

**Alc:** 14%  
**RS:** 2 g/l  
**TA:** 5.1 g/l  
**PH:** 3.61

**BOTTLING DATE:**

August 2022

**RELEASE DATE:**

September 2023



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